# STATEMENT OF WORK Riparian Herbaceous Cover (390) Wyoming

These deliverables apply to this individual practice. For other planned practice deliverables refer to those specific Statements of Work.

#### **DESIGN**

### **Deliverables:**

- 1. Design documents that demonstrate criteria in practice standard have been met and are compatible with planned and applied practices
  - a. Practice purpose(s) as identified in the conservation plan.
  - b. List of required permits to be obtained by the client
  - c. List of facilitating practices (i.e. Streambank and Shoreline Protection 580, Fence 382)
  - d. Practice standard criteria related computations and analyses to develop plans and specifications including but not limited to:
    - Determination of widths and lengths and adapted species to be planted, retained, and/or naturally reestablished
    - ii. Protective measures for planted species including use exclusion
    - iii. Required seedbed condition and preparation methods
    - iv. Soil and seed amendments needed
    - v. Variety or origin and amount of each species to be planted
    - vi. Planting dates and depths and description of planting equipment
    - vii. Instructions as needed for placing different seed types (i.e. fluffy, large, small, slick and dense) in suitable drill boxes
- 2. Written plans and specifications including sketches and drawings shall be provided to the client that adequately describes the requirements to install the practice and obtain necessary permits.
- 3. Operation and maintenance plan
- 4. Certification that the design meets practice standard criteria and comply with applicable laws and regulations and Seeding/Planting Plan Specification Worksheet WY-ECS-25
- 5. Design modifications during installation as required

### **INSTALLATION**

#### **Deliverables**

- 1. Pre-application conference with client and contractor
- 2. Verification that client has obtained required permits
- 3. Staking and layout according to plans and specifications including applicable layout notes
- 4. Application inspection
  - a. Actual materials used
  - b. Inspection records
- 5. Facilitate and implement required design modifications with client and original designer
- 6. Advise client/NRCS on compliance issues with all federal, state, tribal, and local laws, regulations and NRCS policies during installation
- 7. Certification that the application process and materials meets design and permit requirements and Seeding/Planting Plan Specification Worksheet WY-ECS-25

## **CHECK OUT**

## **Deliverables**

- 1. Records of application
  - a. Extent of practice units applied
  - b. Final quantities of materials used
- 2. Certification that the application meets NRCS standards and specifications and is in compliance with permits and Seeding/Planting Plan Specification Worksheet WY-ECS-25

3. Progress reporting

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## **REFERENCES**

- Field Office Technical Guide (eFOTG), Section IV:
  - Conservation Practice Standard Riparian Herbaceous Cover-390
- NRCS Field Office Technical Guide (eFOTG), Section I, Table of Contents:
  - o Plant Materials Technical Notice 3-Establishment of Permanent Vegetation
  - Plant Materials Technical Notice 5-Users Guide to Description, Propagation, and Establishment of Wetland Plant Species and Grasses for Riparian Areas in the Intermountain West
  - Plant Materials Technical Notice 6-Reading Seed Packaging Labels and Calculating Seed Mixtures
- Seeding/Planting Plan Specification WY-ECS-25
- NRCS National Environmental Compliance Handbook
- NRCS Cultural Resources Procedures Handbook
- NRCS National Biology Manual
- NRCS National Biology Handbook

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